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Subject: Re: Fw: Dimock Report: May 15, 2011

Basically, as stated in the R3 report, when a removal action is going to involve on-site activities beyond 120 days, the NCP requires that a community involvement plan be put in place and be made available to the public through the administrative record. Yes David, it should pretty much document the outreach approach that has been followed thus far.

By guidance, the Community Involvement Plan (also referred to as Community Relations Plan) is designed to communicate the community relations techniques and approaches deemed appropriate and relevant to the site. The site OSC is responsible, under the NCP, for the development of this plan and needs to ensure that it accounts for things like:

- documenting community concerns identified during interviews;
- clearly describing site background and information regarding the history of EPA, State or local agency involvement at the site;
- provide detailed description of the community relations strategies for addressing community concerns regarding the site; and
- incorporate any site-specific circumstances ...

Let me know if there are any questions.

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Thanks, adding in Tito, for any more details.

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From: Lisa Feldt
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To: David Bloomgren
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David, Sorry just catching up on this

The answer is that a community involvement plan is required by the NCP with any response over 120 days regardless of whether it is a removal or longer term response action (our remedial program). I'm adding in our folks who hopefully have been in the loop on this and I'm presuming that all it does is document the specific outreach that is already in play with residences etc....

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Hey Lisa - do you know what the community involvement plan is? Have not reached out to region yet. Thanks.

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From: Kathy Hodgkiss
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FIELD ACTIVITY

Water Supply (Fran Burns)

- Provision of alternate water continues to keep water tanks filled at four homes.

Water Sampling (Gerald Heston)

- Target time frame for sampling remaining first round homes and resampling the four homes currently receiving alternate water is the week of May 21, pending approval of sampling plans, coordination with the labs, availability of homeowners and access. Of the seven homes not yet sampled in the first round, three will be sampled in this next round. Of the remainder, three never responded to EPA calls and certified letters and one is a barn well (not a residence) and will not be sampled.

COMMUNICATIONS (Fran Burns, Trish Taylor)

- Data packages for weeks 4 and 5 sampling have been delivered to residents. All individual homeowner results and a compilation of all results will be posted on line tomorrow.
- As required by the National Contingency Plan for Superfund responses extending more than 120 days, the region has drafted a Community Involvement Plan which is undergoing review. May 19 is the deadline to finalize the plan and to make it public.

CONGRESSIONAL

- nothing at this time

LEGAL ISSUES

- Review of tens of thousands of pages of documents and emails continues in response to multiple Freedom of Information Act requests.

Please let me know if you have questions.

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